

NAVAJO GIRL IS HASTENED TO DEATH

Nervous Attack Made Worse by Treatment of Medicine Men.

Tuba, Ariz., August 29.—(Special.)—The death of a beautiful Navajo girl took place near here yesterday under peculiarly distressing circumstances. The girl had been partially educated in one of the government day schools and was an especially bright and sensible Navajo. She had been the means of getting her heathen relatives to send her little brother and sisters to the boarding school at Carlisle, Pa., and had done much to assist her people in educational ways. Not long ago she was taken with a complaint which caused a serious illness, and developed a fatal nervous attack from which she died. But the pathetic side of the case is developed from the fact that this poor girl, who was educated far beyond her people, was hurried to death by the crude and inhuman acts of the medicine men. A helpless witness to the scene saw her surrounded day and night by these hideous priests. The hogan was kept dark with smoke from burning juniper wood, and with the charcoal from half burned wood the priests made a black paint which they kept continually applying to her body, while they kept up their chanting accompanied by the tom tom of a skin drum. It was a relief to this worn out, nerve sick girl, when at last, amidst the shrieks of the shamans, she found escape by death from surroundings which by nature and her education she was far above. The sending of the educated Indian children back again to the tribal life is one of the crying shames of the government policy. Often times the Navajo and Mohave girls are obliged after years of the refining and christianizing influences of the school life, to go back not only to the hogan life, but to be traded by their parents to some greasy buck for a pony or a dozen sheep.

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MOUNTED GUARD FOR MEXICO BORDER

Immigration Officers Will Keep Diseased and Undesirable Immigrants Out.

Washington, D. C., August 29.—That the illegal influx of hundreds of diseased and otherwise undesirable immigrants may be shut off, the immigration and customs officials jointly have agreed upon a plan of patrolling the 2,000 miles of the boundary line between the United States and Mexico. A force of seventy-five mounted immigration inspectors will be formed which will co-operate with the present force of mounted customs men. The joint force, it is estimated, will be able to protect the frontier. Reports received from Mexico by the immigration service have caused this step. Steamship companies are said to be landing the droves of Europeans into ports, whence the undesirable persons edge their way northward into the United States. Herds of undesirable men and women, those reports say, seek this mode of entry to this country. Many Are Diseased. Vessel after vessel, carrying foreigners suffering from the eye disease called trachoma are being landed at Vera Cruz, where they at once begin a northward journey. The immigration bureau's agents say that every Mexican town along the border has a large quota of these immigrants who have been turned back by the United States inspectors and are awaiting an opportunity to sneak across. Another class of immigrants who give the United States inspectors much trouble come from the Pacific side of Mexico. These are the Chinese and Japanese coolies who have been flocking into Mexico ostensibly to seek work on the big commercial projects under way there, but in reality to strike out as fast as they get their bearings for the United States line. They make more trouble for the immigration bureau than any other class of immigrants because of their resourcefulness and perseverance. They may be driven back from the border at one point in the morning and that night they will try to ford the stream, fifteen miles away. On one recent occasion eighty of the yellow men, after a month's imprisonment, were shipped back to Japan by the United States government and a few days ago about fifty were deported. Kodol for Indigestion and Dyspepsia is a preparation of vegetable acids and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. It digests what you eat. Sold by J. H. O'Hellly & Co.

CUBA'S YELLOW JACK DUE TO NEGLECT OF PALMA REGIME

Great Work and Sacrifice of United States Army Spoiled By Shiftless Island Officials.



An American Clean-Up Corps for Yellow Jack. STEGOMYIA FASCIATA, Yellow fever mosquito. Havana, Cuba, August 29.—In view of the report made by Gov. Magoon, at the request of Secretary Taft, the fact that stegomyia fasciata is again on the rampage in Cuba cannot be longer hidden from the public. Stegomyia is known in common terms as the yellow fever mosquito. When, after the extraordinary precautions taken during the first American occupation on the island, Cuba was made safe, the valiant work of the army surgeons was praised throughout the land. They made heroic sacrifices with no positive proof of the cause of the disease, experiments were necessary and volunteers from the army, as

received frightful conditions existed in some portions of the island, and obviously no attempt had been made to take even ordinary sanitary precautions. A cleanup of the worst spots was started but in spite of this the dread fever broke out in Cienfuegos and up to the present time 12 cases have been found among the soldiers, three of which terminated fatally. There are three more cases, exclusive of the soldiers. In the vicinity of Matanzas, the popular American winter resort, three other cases have been reported. Gov. Magoon has discovered that in a number of cities there are inadequate water and sewer systems, and that the sanitary conditions cannot be improved sufficiently to prevent an epidemic until good ones are supplied. Plans are now under way to complete these within the next few months. Because cold weather is approaching there is little fear among Americans that an epidemic will break out in New Orleans and other southern American cities this year, unless the origin is local. But the great fear at present is that news of the conditions will kill off the profitable winter tourist business, and that the headway gained because of the present conditions will be the foundation for an epidemic that will spread to Panama and the United States next year. Meanwhile the governor is intending to take strenuous methods to prevent such a disaster and to start again in a general cleanup of the island. At present Havana is clear of danger. All this is another evidence of the faithfulness of the Cubans, and the probability that the plans of American investors, to keep the hand of Uncle Sam upon the island government will carry. SILVER CITY MINERS EXPECTED CONVICTION. Silver City, N. M., August 30.—(Special.)—The news of the conviction of the operators of the Lost Spanish Bullion mine at Denver was not unexpected by the residents of this section. The old cave which was claimed to be the old lost Spanish mine, lies just three miles north of this city and old prospectors and miners have been unable in years gone by to discover mineral of any kind in paying quantities anywhere near their mountain where this cave is located. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, Better Than Three Doctors. "Three years ago we had three doctors with our little boy and everything that they could do seemed in vain. At last when all hope seemed to be gone we began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and in a few hours he began to improve. Today he is as healthy a child as parents wish for."—Mrs. B. J. Johnston, Linton, Miss. For sale by all druggists. PILES. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure all the itching and burning of hemorrhoids and itching piles. It soothes the tumor, allays the itching at once, and cures the disease. It is a positive, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and the itching of the private parts. Every box warranted. By druggists, by mail, 50c per box, 50 cents and \$1.00. WILLIAM'S PILE OINTMENT. Prop. Cleveland, Ohio. FOR SALE BY W. VARN & SON.

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